

MCHENRY COUNTY TUBERCULOSIS AND TREATMENT BOARD

MEETING MINUTES

MARCH 21, 2017

CALL TO ORDER:

Rebecca Rockwood M.T. called the meeting to order at 8:15am; TB Board members present were: James Mowery M.D. and Rebecca Rockwood M.T.; Staff present: Michael Hill MPH, MPA, FACHE, CHES, Administrator, Pamela Morzos MS RN Director of Nursing , Sara Boline, MPH Communicable Disease Coordinator, Karen Stephenson TB RN, and Siobain Daughenbaugh TB RN.

MINUTES:

Dr. James Mowery made motion to approve TB Board Minutes for January/February 2017; second by Rebecca Rockwood M.T.

FINANCIAL STATUS:

Rebecca Rockwood M.T. reviewed the Disbursements as well as the Income and Expense Report for January/February 2017. Dr. James Mowery made motion to approve; second by Rebecca Rockwood M.T.

MONTHLY REPORTS:

Siobain Daughenbaugh TB RN, reviewed TB Nurse Report for January/February 2017.

Skin Testing

- In January, 16 clinics were held with 87 clients tested
- In February, 16 clinics were held with 46 clients tested

Doctor Clinic

- On January 23rd, Doctor's clinic was held with 18 chest x-rays and 9 charts reviewed
- No clinic was held in February

Patient Update

Active Pulmonary case from India will be evaluated at March 6th clinic for discharge. No problems or issues to date.

26 year old gentleman with tuberculosis lymphadenitis completed treatment in January and was discharged by Dr. Hafiz.

Activities

Annual employee testing held January 10th, 13th, and 17th

Head Start Health consortium meeting 1/18/17

PADS testing January 23rd, 25th, and 27th

Webinars /Trainings

1/5/17 Daily TB Treatment Better than Intermittent

1/5/17 Urine TB Test Cuts Mortality in HIV Patients

1/5/17 Two Drugs Promising in XDR-TB

1/6/17 TB Rates Low in RA Patients Taking Tofacitinib

1/25/17 Interface of Molecular & Growth Based Drug Susceptibility Training

2/2/17 Three-Gene signature ID's Active TB

TB and Kids: The Canadian Problem

2/15/17 TB Cases among Foreign- Born Decline.

Early ART, TB Prevention Improve HIV Outcomes, Multidrug TB Prophylaxis Not Needed in Advanced HIV

Up-coming events

Outreach TB testing at Home of the Sparrow in March

CPR training

PADS day and evening site testing

OLD BUSINESS:

- A) Future plans for Annex B Building in 2019
- B) Update on County Board
- C) Future plans to bill insurance companies for TB treatment

NEW BUSINESS:

BOARD ISSUES:

INFORMATION:

The new face of an old disease: TB over 3 decades. (February 2017). Retrieved from <http://www.healio.com/pediatrics/respiratory-infections/news/print/infectious-diseases-in-children/%7Bf38683a0-c34b-4497-996b-479538c4d034%7D/the-new-face-of-an-old-disease-tb-over-3-decades>

ADJOURNMENT:

Rebecca Rockwood M.T. made motion to adjourn meeting at 8:30am; second by Dr. Mowery.